

THE GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

10-DAY'S ANNIVERSARIES

Born: Richard III., 1482.
Joseph Ritson, 1752.
Died: Dr. Channing, 1842.
Aristotle, 322 B. C.

First railroad in the United States, 1833.
Maj. Andre hanged, 1780.
Failure of the City of Glasgow bank, Scotland, liabilities \$500,000, 1879.

THE GREAT CONGRESS.

When James G. Blaine was a member of Garfield's cabinet he directed public attention to the necessity of the United States taking some action that would increase and strengthen the bond of interest between this country and the South American states. For several years thereafter the press of the country discussed this question in harmony with the policy laid down by Mr. Blaine; and finally, the last congress enacted a law directing the president of the United States to invite the several governments of the republics of Mexico, Central and South America, the Empire of Brazil, Hayti, and San Domingo to join the United States in a conference to be held at Washington for the purpose of discussing and recommending for adoption to their respective governments some plan of arbitration for the settlement of disputes that may hereafter arise between them and for considering questions relating to the improvement of business intercourse and means of communication between these countries, also to encourage such reciprocal commercial relations as will be beneficial to all and secure more extensive markets for their products.

The question of trade between the United States and the states of South America, has long been discussed in the newspapers and magazines, but Mr. Blaine was the first to take active steps to bring the matter to the special attention of our government. This country needs the trade of South America, but it does not get it. It is a fact which astonishes the people of this country, that 89 per cent of the imports of the South and Central American states comes from Europe; 11 per cent from the United States. On the other hand, for every \$7 worth of goods we sell to these countries, we buy \$18 worth. We buy coffee and sugar from Brazil, wool and hides from the Argentine Republic, and other products from the Amazon and its tributaries, and allow the sellers to take our cash and go to Europe for goods that we should be able to supply from our own manufacturers. To be sure the merchants of South and Central America states buy some cheaper goods in Europe than they can buy in this country because they are made by cheaper labor; but what is wanted is an exchange of products between these countries—a system of trading whereby the United States and the states of South and Central America shall be mutually benefited. There are no steamships plying between any of our ports and the great ports of the Argentine Republic and it is said that the existence of this fact compelled the delegates from that country to come to New York by the way of Liverpool, some four thousand miles farther than by a direct route!

There are 35 authorized representatives from South and Central America to the congress which meets in Washington this week. All of them are men of education and enterprise, and deeply interested in the questions which will come before the congress for discussion. The persons who will represent the United States in this important gathering are Cornelius N. Elise, merchant, New York; Charles B. Flint; also a merchant, New York; Andrew Carnegie, manufacturer, Pennsylvania; Clement Stedebaker, manufacturer, Indiana; Thomas Jefferson Coolidge, manufacturer, Massachusetts; John B. Henderson, lawyer, Missouri; William Henry Trescott, capitalist, South Carolina; Henry G. Davis, railway builder, West Virginia; Davis M. Eate, lawyer, California; and John F. Hanson, manufacturer, Georgia.

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

There were some queer things done by the Wisconsin conference which has just closed its annual session at Beaver Dam. It was an important gathering in many respects—one of them being that it had a number of knotty and unpleasant questions to settle. These were "settled" in a way that knocks one's ideas of settlement aside. Some were exalted, and to use a political statement, some were put in the soup. Elder Halsey, about whom so much has been said, and who has stirred up among the brethren some strife and a good deal of bad feeling, was decapitated from the eldership, but to confound those who were opposed to his high-handed schemes, and to make his friends smile with joy, he was given one of the rare appointments of the conference. The ways of conferences, like the verdicts of juries and the nominations of conventions, are past finding out.

There is always more or less feeling over the appointments—this year there seems to be more than less—and the philosophy used by some to explain away the blunders of the appointing power, may be seen by the following brief dialogue between one that was "in the soup," and one that had a "soft snap."

"Come, cheer up," said the latter to the crestfallen preacher; "don't look so disappointed. You must try to see the hand of the Lord in this."

"I try to," said the other, "but the more I look, the more plainly do I see the big paw of the presiding elder."

The preacher in the soup was right. The Lord never takes a hand in such business as that; and it is not fair to charge the schemes of elders and the weakness of bishops to the Lord, for the

A QUARTET OF NEW STATES

FOUR TERRITORIES ADOPT STATE CONSTITUTIONS.

Republicans Win in Both Dakotas and Probably in Washington—Montana in Doubt—Political.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 2.—The elections in the four new States were held Tuesday, and the voters have given expression to their political views—a sort of announcement of birth to their new brothers in the Union of States congratulations for the acquisition of four prosperous commonwealths. Beautiful weather was enjoyed throughout the entire Northwest, and the present indications are that the vote is a full one. The capital fight in South Dakota and Washington called out the few voters who might otherwise have been classed as stay-at-homers, while the closeness of the State acted in a similar way in Montana.

The two Dakotas had been conceded to the Republicans early in the day, the point to be settled being only as to the size of the majority. The interest in North Dakota was centered on prohibition—the friends of which were hopeful—and the district judges. There was much interest in the Legislature, in view of the senatorial candidacy of ex-Gov. Pierce and Ordway.

South Dakota voted for State and legislative officers, two Congressmen, and judges; also on the constitution and prohibition, a clause for minority representation in the Legislature, and on the temporary location of the State capital. North Dakota voted for the same officers and also on the constitution and a prohibition clause therein. The length of the tickets will cause much delay in the collecting of the returns. Thus far scattering returns only have been received, but these indicate the election of their State tickets in the two Dakotas by the Republicans and the choice of the majority of the Legislature in the south State by that party. In the north State the Legislature may be closer. Although there is no doubt that the constitutions will be ratified, still there are some towns and counties which are going on record against it. They are those which were bitterly opposing the location of the institutions in the constitution, as was done in North Dakota. Lakota was one of these towns, and the vote there against the constitution is 60 in some precincts which report a total vote of 93. In South Dakota the vote thus far reported on capital location are from points far removed, and Pierre, Watertown, Huron, and Waterson are leading, with the votes a little bit off Pierre.

LATER—Returns indicate the adoption of the prohibition proposition in South Dakota and the defeat of the clause for minority representation, both of which had been submitted by the constitutional convention. From North Dakota present returns indicate the election of fourteen Republicans to the Legislature and two Democrats, other districts not yet having been heard from.

North Dakota Returns.
JOHN MILLER, Governor.
ALFRED DICKER, Lieutenant Governor.
JOHN LITTLE, Secretary of State.
JOHN FARRAR, Auditor.
L. E. BOKER, Treasurer.
GEORGE F. GOODWIN, Attorney General.
WILLIAM MITCHELL, Supt. P. B. Instruction.
A. T. HELGESON, Comm'r. of Agriculture.
W. F. CARSON, Comm'r. of Insurance.
S. S. MONTGOMERY, Railroad Comm'r.
DAVID BARTLETT, Judges Sup. Court.
ALFRED WALLIN, Judges Sup. Court.
W. C. BARTHOLOMEW, Judges Sup. Court.
H. C. HANSBROUGH, Congressman.

Bismarck, N. D., Oct. 2.—The official count for the city shows an average majority for the Republican ticket of 163. Private telegrams from twenty-five legislative districts show the election of sixty-seven members of the Legislature favorable to Gilbert A. Pierce for the United States Senate. Four more are known to be for Pierce in safe Republican counties, giving him 71 votes out of a total of 92 in both houses. Eleven county precincts and the city of Bismarck give a majority of 449 against prohibition. The constitution carried almost solidly.

Hillsboro, N. D., Oct. 2.—Traill county will go Republican strong, but prohibition is very doubtful.

South Dakota.

A. C. MELLETTE, Governor.
J. H. FLETCHER, Lieutenant Governor.
A. O. RINGSTAD, Secretary of State.
W. F. CARSON, Treasurer.
L. C. TAYLOR, Auditor.
ROBERT DOLLARD, Attorney General.
G. L. PARKHAM, Supt. of Public Instruction.
O. H. PARKER, Commissioner of Public Lands.
DIGHTON CORSON, Supreme Court Judge.
E. H. BENTLEY, Supreme Court Judge.
A. G. KELLAM, Congressman.
J. A. PICKLER, Congressman.

DELL RAPIDS, S. D., Oct. 2.—Prohibition carried by 143. Sioux Falls has 140 votes for the constitutional election.

YANKTON, S. D., Oct. 2.—The Republican majority here will be light. Reports from Hutchinson county indicate a great decrease in the Republican majority, if not a small Democratic majority.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., Oct. 2.—Up to 10 o'clock no returns have been received which afford an indication as to the result of the State election, but it is safe to say that the constitution and the Republican ticket have been successful by large majorities. The main interest centers in the location of the temporary capital and the question of prohibition. Returns from 25 out of 575 precincts, not including the city of Sioux Falls, give a total of 1,442 votes on the capital question, as follows: For Sioux Falls, 1,618; Huron, 888; Pierre, 942; Watertown, 153; Mitchell, 487; Chamberlain, 38. This city cast 2,200 votes, of which 2,100 will be for Sioux Falls, making a total of 3,800 votes for this city at this hour from 59 precincts.

Later returns show seventy-five precincts out of 525 in the State give the following vote on capital: For Sioux Falls, 3,726; Huron, 1,304; Pierre, 1,734; Watertown, 623; Mitchell, 750; Chamberlain, 33. A majority for prohibition is generally conceded.

Democrats Claim Montana.
HELENA, M. T., Oct. 2.—Since Monday the feeling throughout Montana was that the Democrats would carry the State. Bulletin from all important points after noon Tuesday confirmed this feeling, and when the polls closed the Democratic managers claimed the State, though not venturing on figures. In this city the Republicans scratched their necks badly, while the Democrats voted the straight ticket. The same reports come from all over the Territory, save Choteau county, where it is thought Toole (Dem.) will run behind Power (Rep.).

The election was conducted under the Australian law, and to the surprise of every one, votes were polled very rapidly, nearly all the voting being done by men. Reports from all sections of the Territory indicate that there was no disorder of any kind. In this city scarcely a drunken man was seen and there were no attempts at illegal voting. The Australian balloting system proved, so far as heard from, a complete success. The ticket is long, and it will be some time before sufficient returns are in to know the result on Governor and Congressmen.

Returns so far show an almost complete change in the vote of Montana from the last Congressional election. The counties of Deer Lodge and Silver Bow, in which the towns of Anaconda and Butte are situated, and which gave last year a Republican majority of 2,500, give a Democratic majority this year. The Democratic managers claim the entire State ticket

and a majority of the Legislature. The Journal (Rep.) claims the State for Carter by 2,500, and says Power will not run 500 behind. It says the Legislature can not be forecast, but is confident of a Republican majority. It says the country districts show large Republican gains over Carter's majority of 5,000 last year, and the returns from Butte and Deer Lodge cannot overcome the Republican country districts.

Washington Probably Republican.
E. P. FEHR, Governor.
C. E. LAUGHTON, Lieutenant Governor.
ALLEN WEIR, Secretary of State.
A. J. LINDLEY, Treasurer.
W. C. JONES, Auditor.
THOMAS M. REED, Attorney General.
R. B. BRYAN, Supt. Public Instruction.
J. T. FORREST, Land Commissioner.
JOHN L. WILSON, Congressman.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 2.—A heavy wind storm is prevailing in eastern and western Washington. The wires are down and election news will be greatly delayed in consequence.

TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 2.—Meager returns from this and adjacent counties indicate that the vote cast was the largest in the history of the Territory. The indications all point to the election of Ferry, Republican candidate for Governor and the entire Republican State ticket, including Wilson for Congress, by an average majority of 4,000. The Legislature will probably close. It is thought that this election will not decide the location of the capital. The constitution will be ratified, but doubtless by not as large a majority as its supporters claim.

NEW YORK DEMOCRATS.

A State Ticket Named and Platform Adopted at Syracuse.
SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 2.—The convention hall was crowded when, at 12:30, Edward Murphy, as chairman of the State Democratic committee, called the convention to order and announced the action of the committee in nominating Edward A. Jones for temporary chairman. The action was unanimously adopted, and a committee was appointed to escort Mr. Jones to the chair.

After a recess a platform was adopted and the following ticket chosen:
For Secretary of State—FRANK RICE, of Ontario.
For Comptroller—EDWARD WEMPLE, of Albany.
For Treasurer—ELLIOTT DANFORTH, of Albany.
For Attorney General—CHARLES F. TAYLOR, of Albany.

For Engineer—JOHN BOGART, of Albany.
For Judge Court of Appeals—DENNIS O'BRIEN, of Albany.
The platform indorses the St. Louis platform and declares that the party is not a free but a tariff reform party; indorses the "honest and fearless administration of Grover Cleveland;" charges that the Republican party was returned to power in the nation by means of bribery, intimidation, and false pretenses; arraigns Harrison for violating his civil service reform pledges; denounces trusts; favors just and equitable excise laws; opposes prohibition and charges Republic with dishonest treatment of the temperance question. Home rule for cities and the administration of Gov. Hill are indorsed.

MARYLAND REPUBLICANS.

The Convention Meets and Adopts a Platform.

WESTMINSTER, Md., Oct. 2.—This is an off year, a State Comptroller the only office to be filled, and so there is not quite the usual interest manifested in the Republican State convention. In forming the platform, resolutions introduced were referred to the committee on resolutions. The resolutions favor—First, the enactment of registration and election laws which embrace the salient features of the Australian system; second the restriction of the liquor traffic; virtually high license; third, the reassessment of property throughout the State, the latest one being made in 1876; fourth, colored teachers being employed in all colored schools and the extension of educational facilities to colored people; fifth, the restriction of the privileges granted by the State to the oyster dredgers who are depleting the Chesapeake oyster beds.

The convention selected Louis E. McComas for Comptroller and adjourned.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

An Apparent Case of Murder and Suicide at Ogema, Wis.
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 2.—Meager accounts of a double tragedy at Ogema, Wis., have reached here. Charles Stevenson and William Johns were found dead in their beds. It is known that they had quarreled and the motive for the crime cannot be surmised, as they had been good friends. The appearances indicate that Stevenson, in whose right hand a revolver was found, had first shot Johns, who probably died without a struggle. The murderer then placed the revolver to his own head and blown out his brains.

Flack Held to the Criminal Court.
New York, Oct. 2.—In part 1 of the court of the general sessions before Judge Gildersleeve, Sheriff James A. Flack, Joseph W. Meeks and Judge Ambrose Monell were held in \$3,000 bail each, and Will Flack and George W. Hart in \$2,000 bail each to plead to the indictments charging them with conspiracy and perjury Wednesday next.

Placed on the Track by Robbers.
LIMA, Ohio, Oct. 2.—Two robbers attacked William Leffingwell last night while he was returning home, beat him until he was insensible, and after securing money and valuables, placed him on the railway track, where he was fatally injured by a train.

A Mail Stage Held Up in Texas.
EDINBURG, Texas, Oct. 2.—The mail between Rio Grande and Brownsville was stopped last night two miles from Edinburg. The driver was taken into the woods, his eyes bandaged, and the mail sacks rifled, when he was allowed to proceed on his way.

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We mention a few of our unequalled bargains this week. Intending buyers will find it to their advantage to call

FRENCH HENRIETTES.

The proper line of colors in our special brand of French Henriettes, 48 inch width, silk finish
75 cents a yard; regular value \$1

MOHAIR BRILLIANTINE.

One of the leading fabrics for fall, special value at
40 Cents a yard.

FANCY WEAVES.

Ten patterns fancy weave Black and White, Stripes and Checks, extra bargain at
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SILK WARP HENRIETTA.

New line of colors and Black Silk Warp Henriettes at
90 Cents a yard; worth \$1 25.

BROADCLOTHS.

Great bargains in 54 inch Broadcloth. A full line of new colors at
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DRESS FLANNELS.

Splendid line all wool Dress Flannels, all mixtures, 54 inch width. This is a decided bargain.
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SPECIAL.

Unmade Combination Dress Robes, fully up to those usually sold at nearly twice the money, at the very low price of
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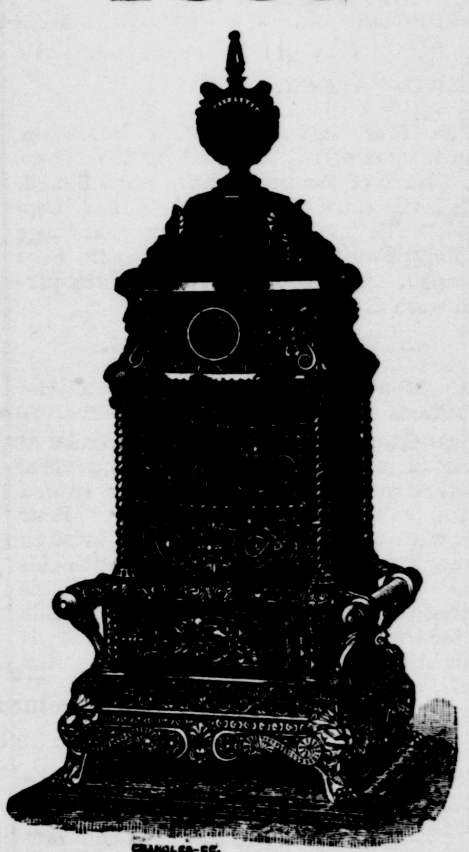
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Men's Business Suits, worth \$10 and \$12, our price, \$7.00.

Twelve Styles to select from.

Fine Worsted and Cassimere Suits at \$10 to \$15, worth from \$15 to \$25. Twenty styles to select from

Men's Pants 2, 2.50, 3.00, up to \$6 The best value ever offered.

Boys' Suits 2, 2.50, 3, 3.50 up to \$8 worth 25 per cent. more money

Boys Knee Pants, 25, 50, 75c, & \$1

Special sale of boys' & children's school suits

Bring in you children before school opens. A very large line of Gents' furnishing Goods,

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LOCAL MATTERS.

Judging from the display in Mrs. Woodstock's windows in the line of fancy birds and fashions; her line is unusually attractive and complete with goods from the eastern and Chicago markets.

To obtain the proper thing in dress goods give us a call. ARCHIE REID.

Sugar cured hams, dried beef and bacon at Denniston's.

Flannels, blankets and comforters, best values at Archie Reid's.

Caramel sugar, Goldenrod cornmeal, Golden wheat meal; try the cottage bread at Denniston's.

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COMMON SENSE. That is the name of one style of our popular ladies' dog collar that we are selling for \$2.40 guaranteed equal to any \$3.00 shoe sold by credit stores. They have low heels are full across the toes and are chunk full of comfort. We want you to see these goods before you buy.

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T. J. Ziegler has the finest clothing store in Southern Wisconsin.

Immense line new furs at Archie Reid's.

For Sale—House and lot, 206 Mineral Point avenue. Enquire on the premises. S. A. DEAN.

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If you want a good business suit go to T. J. Ziegler's.

FOUND—Our track has always found the celebrated Douglas shoes perfectly satisfactory. They are elegant style and wear like iron. Don't buy goods of inferior material, but get the genuine. You will find our stock complete. BROWN BROS.

Hats in great variety at T. J. Ziegler's.

The finest stock of overcoats in the city at T. J. Ziegler's.

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Mrs. Woodstock wishes to inform the ladies that her millinery stock is now complete, and she has also a grand display of fancy goods and notions, including baby cloaks, hoods, China silks, fancy plushes, etc., etc.

Please call and settle.

The co-partnership of the firm of Shopbell & Norris having dissolved, all persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm of Shopbell & Norris are requested to call at their office and settle their accounts at once. As the books must be settled within the next (30) thirty days. E. SHOPBELL, S. NORRIS.

Hosiery and underwear—we save you money on both these lines. ARCHIE REID.

All kinds of soft coal for cooking and heating. Best canal coal that burns to a fine white ash, and does not clinker, for grates. Wood and kindling at bottom prices. D. K. JEFFRIES.

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New order sets at Wheelock's, fancy pitchers, tumblers and white metal. Try complete, \$1. Try alone worth the money. See our ten cent lunch baskets. D. P. SMITH.

A good article of sermon paper cheap, at Sutherland's bookstore.

For Rent—House and barn, corner East street and Prospect avenue. Enquire of Mr. Wright, next door. JOHN SCHICKER.

Received, car load of Badger Ranges prices reduced. Come and see me to bargain in new and second-hand stoves. All kinds of tin work done. Stoves blacked and set up. E. W. LOWELL.

For Sale.

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Maple, sawed twice and split, 60 to 87 25 Oak, sawed twice and split 60 to 6 25 Poplar, sawed twice and split... 5 00 Pine, sawed twice and split... 4 50 Fine kindling, 5 cents per bunch. All wood thoroughly seasoned. SMITH & GATELEY.

If you want a fine, new home in this city, see me before you buy. D. CONGER.

For Sale.—A building lot with good shade, near first ward school. Enquire 126 Pearl street.

We handle the Burlington and Royal Stainless fast black hose—guaranteed absolutely fast at J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

BRIEFLETS.

—Comedy at Leppin's opera house this evening.

—Mrs. I. A. Curtis took the dress pattern at The Magnet with the lucky No. 5.

—Wisconsin Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F., occupy Odd Fellows' hall this evening—regular weekly meeting.

—Races at Evansville next Friday and Saturday. These promise to be very interesting.

—Dr. S. L. Lord has been appointed postmaster at Edgerton vice John Dave removed. An excellent selection.

—Regular monthly social supper will be held at All Souls church parlors this evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

—Mr. F. W. Christie, proprietor of the C. O. D. grocery store on South River street, has been confined to the house by sickness.

—FOUND—on Milton avenue—a pocket book, containing a little money. Owner can have the same by addressing "James Oostigan, Janesville."

—Washington Camp No. 1, Patriotic Sons of America, assemble in regular weekly meeting this evening—lodge room in the Judd block, North Main street.

—Lost—between Dori & Bailey's store and the postoffice—a large white silk pocket handkerchief, with initial letter "G." Finder please leave it at Gazette office.

—A free lesson in spelling, arithmetic and writing to-morrow night at Kinney & Sanders' college. Old and young are cordially invited to attend. Material furnished free by the college.

—The regular semi-monthly convocation of Janesville Chapter No. 5, Royal Arch Masons, will be held at Masonic hall on to-morrow (Thursday) evening. A full attendance of members is requested. Work in the Mark degree.

—The Bower City Band, at their meeting on Monday evening, elected the following officers for the coming year: T. F. McKee, president; D. Spencer, vice president; W. W. Brunson, secretary; Walter Helms, treasurer; D. Spencer, librarian; A. Kuehl, leader and director.

—Many lovers of the turf from this city attended the races at Clinton yesterday. Three races were trotted; one three minute race, one two-forty-five and one two-thirty-five. Four heats were necessary to decide each race. This was the last race of the year at Dover driving park.

—The Labadie-Rowell English Comedy Company will entertain the people of Janesville this evening at Leppin's opera house, presenting two roaring comedies, "Galatea, the Statue Bride," and "A Happy Pair." The admission is placed at 25c, 35c, and 50c. The company is highly recommended by the press and public.

—The Q. L. Z. club met at the home of Mrs. George Butler last evening at 288 South Main street. The party was given in honor of Mr. Doe Butler's birthday. Early in the evening about twenty-five invited guests assembled, and games and music occupied the time, when they were invited to partake of a fine supper served by their hosts. It was a royal good time such as only the Q. L. Z. club knows how to enjoy.

—The High school geology class visited the Texas exposition car last evening, and were shown a number of fine specimens of natural formations found in Texas, explanations being given by Prof. Wilkinson, who has charge of the car and exhibits. He presented Miss Marion Spencer, of the class, a fine specimen of coral formation taken from the Gulf of Mexico. Miss Spencer will place it in the high school collections.

—J. A. Denniston, baker and dealer in fancy groceries, 107 West Milwaukee street, has one of the largest and best selected stocks of fancy groceries to be found in the city, which he is handing out to his trade at very reasonable prices. His stock embraces nearly everything in this line of goods, besides reasonable and tropical fruits in large quantities. Your every want can be supplied with the very best by calling at Denniston's, 107 West Milwaukee street.

—Yesterday was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Louis F. Knipp, Mineral Point avenue, and a large number of her friends took advantage of the occasion and sprung a very pleasant surprise on her at her home last evening. A right jovial company it was an a right merry time they had. Elegant refreshments were served and the evening was spent in the most social manner. Mrs. Knipp was remembered by a large number of presents, tokens of the esteem of her numerous friends. The occasion will not soon be forgotten by the hosts.

—Five young hopefuls were called up a notch higher, by order of Judge Patterson. They are charged with breaking and otherwise maliciously injuring the property of Richardson & Norcross, in and about the shoe factory. The boys are not of that vicious class that make young criminals, as they all come from good families. The trial was set for next Saturday at 9 o'clock, and each boy was required to give bail to the amount of \$50 in default of which they will be compelled to go to jail.

—The funeral of the late Miss Ellen Noonan was held from the Catholic church in Footville this morning at half past nine o'clock, the Rev. Father Kelly, of Brodhead, conducting the services, which were listened to by a large number of friends of the deceased lady. At the conclusion of the services the remains were brought to this city and interred in Mount Olivet cemetery, the pall bearers being Messrs. J. W. Langdon, John Horan, Frank Egan, Patrick Murray, Martin Garry and John Drew.

—Mr. Fred Looser shipped a fine car load of heavy horses from Janesville this afternoon. The horses were all bought in the vicinity of this city, and were indeed a handsome lot. They are going direct to the copper regions in northern Michigan. Mr. Looser will be here again in just two weeks, and will purchase another carload. He wishes all those to whom this notice may concern—having heavy horses from fifteen to sixteen hundred pounds weight—to inform Mr. N. Fredericks, at his livery stable. He pronounces the heavy horses raised in this vicinity, very fine specimens for heavy draught work.

—Last evening the home of J. D. Rexford was the scene of a happy gathering, it being the occasion of the fourth anniversary celebration of the Young Ladies' Missionary society of the Presbyterian church. About forty members and friends assembled at eight o'clock, and after listening to a very carefully prepared programme, all sat down to the bountiful feast prepared by the young ladies of the society. One of the most interesting features of the programme was the opening of the music boxes and a recounting of the blessings received during the year. All returned home feeling satisfied that a missionary meeting can be a most delightful place to spend an evening.

—The home of Conductor and Mrs. Phil Osgood, No. 416 Pleasant street, was darkened yesterday by the death of their little seven month old baby. Yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock the little one was taken suddenly ill. Every thing was done that good parents could do, but with no avail. Finally a physician was called, but it was too late. The little one passed quietly away about ten o'clock, leaving the mother to mourn their loss. He "who doeth all things well" has called this small cherub to its home in heaven. The bereaved parents have the sincere sympathy of their many friends who deeply feel the loss occasioned by this sad death. Funeral to-morrow at three o'clock, at the house, corner Pleasant and Washington streets.

WHY THE SURPRISE.

A REPLY TO MR. C. H. RUCKER'S ASSERTION IN MONDAY'S GAZETTE.

It has been a matter of great surprise and much regret to the members of the German Lutheran church that public sentiment should have been appealed to by a man who has been trying to vent his spleen on the church by giving an exhibition of his temper in the public prints. Every truth loving and right minded citizen will certainly not be much discommodated thereby and will not be so unjust as to speak in a derogatory way of a church which has reason to believe itself a worthy member of the church militant. Friends, we do not interfere in your church matters and hope that you will not take the seal of judgment against us. That man was not ruled out of church, but ruled himself out, just as he acted in rushing to find a way of revenge. Nobody denies his self-selected right to belong to his society, but he again would do wrong in denying a whole body of christians the right of believing as they do. The very fact, again, that the man is in such fair shows his standing with us, which he alone considered good. It is to be regretted that he has made insinuations against an intelligent community. Besides, Mr. Albrecht, the graduate of two universities, has in no wise assumed dictatorial power, because that could not have been applied, since our church affairs are managed by the church in liberal discussion, and the dictates of "enlightened conscience."

We hope, Mr. Editor, that you will allow us these few words. J. Z.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

IN KIND TESTIMONIAL AT THE BURIALMENT OF A WORTHY MEMBER.

FLORENCE CAMP No. 366, M. W. A. JANEVILLE, WIS., OCT. 1.

WHEREAS, It has pleased the All-Wise Father to remove from earth Mrs. Mary Ruben, the mother of our esteemed neighbor, Geo. Scheffner; be it therefore

Resolved, That it is but a just tribute to the memory of this camp to say, that in regretting her removal from the community and the home circle, we mourn for one in every way worthy of our respect.

Resolved, That the members of Florence Camp No. 366 Modern Woodmen of America, extend to neighbor Scheffner and family, in this dispensation of Divine Providence whereby they have been afflicted, their sincere sympathy, and commend the bereaved ones, for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best.

Resolved, That a copy of this, our heartfelt testimonial of sorrow be forwarded to neighbor Scheffner and spread upon camp journals and be presented to the city papers for publication. P. S. FENTON, CLERK.

EVANSVILLE.

—O. H. Dunn, marshal of Beloit, was in town Monday afternoon.

—The O. H. Dunn Brothers steam threshing engine scared Winship & Taggart's team while on their power at Munger's threshing Saturday and made things lively for a short time. The horses started to run and before they were checked the spur chain was broken on the separator.

—Capt. Randall, of Brodhead, was in town Monday on legal business.

—Dr. W. L. Quiver is home again and will resume his practice. The doctor has a good many friends and will soon resume his former field of practice.

—R. Winston and wife, A. Eager, Mrs. F. W. Toller and Mrs. A. E. Porter, who took advantage of the excursion rates Sept. 10th, for different parts of the west, returned last evening.

—Stewart Heddles, of the tobacco firm of Baine & Heddles, of Janesville, was here several days last week sampling tobacco for Geo. Rumrill.

—Jack Yarbrough was in town making Rev. W. MacFarlen a friendly call last Friday.

—Every one who attended the Rock county fair says it was the best ever held in the county.

—Mr. H. K. Loomis, of Albany, has his trotter in town getting ready for the races Saturday.

—W. R. Phillips went to Madison on Tuesday on legal business. Mr. Phillips is getting all he can do and will have to have a clerk if his business increases.

—Miss S. S. Copeland will go to Chicago this week and buy her fall stock of millinery.

—All who take a meal or stop at the Evansville hotel, where Mr. Edwards keeps as good a hotel as there is here, Rates, one dollar to all.

—The Rev. W. MacFarlen occupied the pulpit of the M. E. church last Sunday, the pastor, Rev. Wheeler, being at conference.

—About 7:30 p. m. Monday a bright light appeared a little northwest of this place, and upon investigation it proved to be C. M. Tuttle's residence, about two miles from here. The fire caught in the kitchen, and was beyond control when discovered. A few of the household goods were saved. The loss is about \$1,500, with \$800 in insurance in the Home, of New York. Mr. Tuttle was away from home when it caught fire.

MILTON JUNCTION.

—Mrs. John Smith, of Johnston, formerly of this place, is visiting friends around here.

—George A. Crandall and family and Mrs. Permelia Crandall and her son, George Oon, are visiting in Christiana this week.

—Charles Carr and A. W. Wells attended church at Janesville, Sunday.

—M. H. Ansley moved into his new house on Vernal avenue Monday.

OBITUARY.

NELSON DUNN.

Nelson Dunn was born in Saratoga Springs, New York, April 8th, 1811; died at the home of his son-in-law, John Sligham, 158 North Bluff street, this city, October 2d, 1889. Nelson Dunn was a grandson of General Dunn, of the British army, a Canadian, who served in the revolutionary war against the colonies. Mr. Dunn was one of the oldest railroad men in the country, his service dating back to April 1st, 1835, when he was baggagemaster on the Mohawk and Hudson road between Albany and Schenectady. After serving as baggagemaster for a time, he commenced firing a locomotive on the same road, and in six months after was given an engine. He continued in this employ until 1852, when he came to Wisconsin, settling at Milwaukee, and entering the employ of the Milwaukee & Mississippi railway company as engineer. He was employed by this company until the breaking out of the war, when he went south in the employ of the United States government as an engineer, and was placed in charge of the round house at Huntsville, Alabama, afterwards, on a run between Raleigh and Morehead City, North Carolina. At the end of the war he returned home, and for a time was engaged in keeping a hotel at Mazmanie, in Dane county, and at farming near Prairie du Sac. Old age and feeble health compelled him to desert from all business and labor, and he came to this city and made his home with his only daughter Mrs. John Sligham, at whose home he died this morning. Mr. Dunn was a charter member of the Wisconsin Branch of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and was known by all the old engineers on the St. Paul system, by whom he was held in high esteem. Years ago, during the political excitement attending the presidential campaign of 1856, Mr. Dunn was given the nickname of "Old Fremont," owing to his striking resemblance to "The Pathfinder," a name which he bore among his intimate friends until his death. In early years he was an Odd Fellow, but never affiliated with that order in later years. He was a man of retiring disposition, but nevertheless possessed many friends among his life associates, especially those connected with railroading, who will regret to hear of the death of "Old Fremont," of the St. Paul. Deceased leaves two children: Mr. Frank Dunn, an engineer on the St. Paul, residing at Minneapolis, and Mrs. John Sligham, of this city. His wife preceded him to the unknown shore some three years ago.

The remains will be taken to Prairie du Sac on to-morrow evening, and the funeral will be held in that village on Friday.

EDDIE LEARY.

Little Eddie Leary died last night at 12 o'clock, in the rooms of Miss Agnes Leary, No. 155 West Milwaukee street. Eddie was nine years old and has been in the city for several months in order to be near the physician who was attending him. His parents live in Darlington, this state, where the body will be sent this evening.

PERSONAL MENTION.

THE COMING AND GOING OF PEOPLE WE KNOW.

—Mr. E. B. Heimstreet is in Madison to-day.

—Mr. D. J. Jameson went to McHenry, Ill., this morning.

—Mrs. Charles Wisch is visiting in Whitewater to-day.

—Messrs. Robert and Olie Colway, of Evansville, are in the city to-day.

—Miss Eugenie Hutchinson, of Oshkosh, is visiting in this city, the guest of Miss Bertha Hodgdon.

—Mrs. Frank Hogenboom, of Wahoo, Nebraska, is in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Bostwick.

—Mrs. Mrs. Oadley, of Schenago, New York, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Perrigo, No. 18 Roger ave. n.

—Supt. W. W. Collins, of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, passed through Janesville on an inspection tour of the road and office.

—Mr. Archie Reid left last evening for Charles City, Iowa, to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, Mr. John Leonard, which will take place to-day in that city.

—Mrs. A. O. Stuart, who has been visiting with her cousin, Mr. U. E. Brown, the groceryman, returned to Chicago to-day. She was accompanied by Miss Anna Brown, who will visit there for a few weeks.

—Mrs. Vie Mallory and Mrs. Jessie B. Hartman, of Nunda, Illinois, W. H. O. No. 22, yesterday and gave a very interesting talk. The ladies were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Mead, of West Bluff street, while in the city.

—Assistant State Dairy and Food Commissioner H. K. Loomis, is in the city to-day, taking samples, and otherwise inspecting the foods offered for sale in this city. Of course nothing but genuine articles are ever offered for sale here. Suppose he should test the drinkables?

—Mr. Bert King left this noon for Dorsey, New Mexico; he will be accompanied by his brother James King. They will be over two weeks on the road, as Bert's health will not permit of his traveling straight through. It is hoped by his many friends that the change in climate will bring him back to us in good health once more.

—Supt. J. O. Howe, of the water works went to Whitewater yesterday to witness the official test of the water plant in that city. The test was very satisfactory, notwithstanding the high wind which prevailed. The plant is owned by O. E. Gray, of Beloit, T. F. Gray being in charge of the construction, the same gentleman having charge of the pipe-laying in this city. The plant consists of eight miles of pipe, a tower or tank one hundred and thirty-five feet above the pumps, a pump, a pump and engine having a capacity of pumping three million gallons of water in twenty-four hours. The tank has a capacity of 300,000 gallons. It is said the city authorities were well satisfied with the result of the test, and of course, will claim that Whitewater has the best and most complete water plant in the state.

CHURCH FAIR AT ORFORD.

THE YOUNG LADIES' LUTHERAN SOCIETY.

HOLD A FAIR AND SOCIABLE.

The Young Ladies' Society of the Lutheran church at Orford held a most successful fair and sociable yesterday in the beautiful grove surrounding the church and parsonage in the village of Orford. There was a very large attendance, especially of old residents of the county, many people coming from Brodhead, Rock Run and Janesville, while the good people in the vicinity of Orford turned out in large numbers. The arrangements for the fair and sociable were most complete and perfect in every detail. The young ladies had prepared for their fair, which was held for the benefit of the church, a large number of articles, embracing needle work in great varieties and design, the articles all being disposed of at fair prices, the church receiving a very substantial benefit therefrom.

A large platform was erected in the grove for the accommodation of the speakers and the musicians. The church choir rendered several very fine anthems with organ accompaniment, which was followed by an able and interesting address by the retiring pastor, the Rev. T. K. Thorwilden. The singers then rendered several very fine and appropriate English and Scandinavian hymns. Pastor Thorwilden then surprised all present by his expert playing on the violin, rendering several very fine selections with much skill, showing that he had carefully studied and mastered that instrument.

These exercises were followed by an excellent dinner spread on several long tables in the grove, at which upwards of five hundred people partook. The dinner was followed by a social reunion of the old residents and parishioners, many of whom had not met in twenty years, and a season of hand shaking followed which was of the heartiest and most social kind.

The young ladies of Orford and surroundings are entitled to great praise and credit for the excellent and complete manner in which the affair was managed from the beginning to end, and all who were present went home feeling the better that they had thus met together once more with old friends.

The gathering was also somewhat of a farewell meeting with the old and beloved pastor of the Orford Lutheran church, Rev. T. K. Thorwilden, who has for years been in charge of the parish, during which time he has done much good work, for which he will long be remembered by his people. He goes to a new parish in the northern part of this state, accompanied by the well wishes and good cheer of all. The Rev. Mr. Sherven, who has until recently been engaged in missionary work in the far west, succeeds to this pastorate, and will preach his inaugural sermon in Orford on Sunday next, and at the Norwegian Lutheran church, this city, on Monday evening. The Gazette, while regretting with the congregation in parting with the old, speaks kind words of welcome to the new, and trusts his people will continue to prosper under his teaching.

THE NEWEST GAME.

WHICH TAKES THE FORM OF AN INFORMATION PARTY.

The newest game takes the form of an information party, and according to the Boston Traveller's description, is begun by passing to each gentleman a card and to the ladies small pieces of paper, which should be numbered. Those who discover the same number on their card and paper are partners for the game. Each couple must think of a question, sensible or ridiculous, historical or in regard to the weather, to be written on the cards, after which the cards are to be gathered together, and the leader reads each in turn, giving a few moments for the partners to consider the subject and write the answer which should be read aloud in turn. This is where the fun of the game begins, as many of the answers are exceedingly queer. Those having a correct answer mark their card 10, a wrong answer, 0, and if the answer is anywhere near right it is counted 5. When all are added, prizes may be distributed as in progressive games for the best and poorest record. The instructive part of the game is the discussion which follows the questions. The height of Bunker Hill monument is what everybody living near it ought to know, and yet, at an information party held a few evenings ago, only one person in a company of twenty was sure of the exact number of feet.

Max wanted but little here below. This is especially true of a purge. The average man or woman does not precisely banker for it, as a rule, but when taken, wishes it the prompt, sure and effective way. Dr. Parson's Kidney Pills in Pillslets leave nothing to be desired. Point of efficacy, and yet their action is totally free from any unpleasant symptoms, or disagreeable after effects. Fairly vegetable, perfectly harmless.

THE WEATHER.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer indicated 33 degrees above zero. Clear with east wind.

At one o'clock p. m. the register was 66 degrees above zero. Clear with south wind. For the corresponding hours one year ago the register was 40 and 48 degrees above zero.

Max Stadler's Big Prize of \$2,500.

A Daily News reporter dropped into Max Stadler & Co.'s well known clothing establishment at Broadway and Grand street. The latter held a telegram despatch in his right hand that read like this:

New Orleans, July 20, 1889.

Max Stadler, New York.

One-five-one-six-six drew fifty thousand.

M. A. DATHIN.

In the other hand Mr. Stadler held one-quarter ticket No. 15,166 in the July drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery.

Mr. Stadler took his ticket to his friend, Manager Hoey of the Adams Express Company, for collection—New York Daily News, August 7.

Milwaukee Exposition.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company will sell excursion tickets to Milwaukee and return every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, from August 31st to October 6th. Fare, \$2.39 round trip, including ticket to exposition, good to return until the following Monday.

For Rent—Furnished rooms convenient to business near corner of city fountain, 52 North Franklin St.

MILTON.

—Miss Alice Tomkins gave a concert last Wednesday evening at the Congressional church. The programme was made up chiefly of numbers presented by Miss Tomkins' pupils, assistance being rendered by Mrs. W. B. Robinson, Miss Alice Dow and J. B. Borden. There was a splendid attendance, and the audience was liberal with applause.

—Mrs. Dr. Crandall attended the bi-monthly meeting of the Homeopathic Clinical Association at Beloit last Wednesday evening.

—County Superintendent Throes visited the graded school last Thursday.

—J. B. Tracy will enjoy himself as a jurymen at the fall term of the circuit court. He is the sole representative from our town.

—E. H. Burdick is again a resident of Milton, and will devote all of his time to the photograph business here.

—Mrs. Thompson, of Westmoreland, N. Y., is here to make her daughter, Mrs. H. Jackson, a visit.

—The band boys have begun regular practice again, and will soon be in shape to furnish music.

—The funeral of Mrs. Ira Bullis took place Thursday afternoon at the M. E. church, Rev.